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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Brigitte GICQUEL

Application No.: 10/777,131

Filed: February 13, 2004

For: COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS
FOR DETECTING MULTIDRUG
RESISTANT STRAINS OF *M.*
TUBERCULOSIS HAVING
MUTATIONS IN GENES OF THE
MUTT FAMILY

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) Group Art Unit: 1645
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) Examiner: SWARTZ, Rodney
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) Confirmation No.: 3675
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of November 27, 2006. A fee of \$120.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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